

Proclamation

Since it was first established in 1970, and chartered under the laws of the State of Hawai'i and incorporated in 1971 as a private non-profit housing and community development organization, Lokahi Pacific has remained true to its mission of seeking to improve the quality of life both economically and socially for the low-income residents of Maui County.

This dedication is evident in the well regarded housing and community facilities loan program, first time homebuyers down payment assistance loan program, and small business lending products.

The successful stewardship of housing projects by Lokahi Pacific has increased the inventory of affordable and special needs housing for those who otherwise might have become homeless. Expansion of this effort into affordable rentals and single-family homes for the general low-income population is a welcome step toward helping to address Hawai'i's affordable housing needs.

In 1998, The Weinberg Center in Wailuku was built to provide badly needed office space for local non-profit agencies and, at the same time, included a 20 unit residential component that provided affordable long term rental housing for persons with special needs.

A second community facilities development project is planned as a unique mixed-use design that will include a business incubator facility, affordable rental housing, a Promenade Café, and a commercial kitchen.

Recently, Lokahi Pacific celebrated a significant milestone with the lending of over \$10 million in support of small business start-ups and entrepreneurs on Maui.

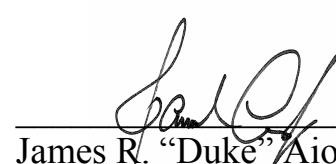
THEREFORE, I, LINDA LINGLE, Governor of the State of Hawai'i, and **I, JAMES R. "DUKE" AIONA, JR.**, Lieutenant Governor, do hereby proclaim **November 3, 2006**, as

LOKAHI PACIFIC ANNIVERSARY DAY

in Hawai'i, and congratulate Lokahi Pacific for 35 years of providing housing development and management, small business lending, and community facilities development for the citizens of our Aloha State.

DONE at the State Capitol, in the Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this thirty-first day of October 2006.


Linda Lingle
Governor, State of Hawai'i


James R. "Duke" Aiona, Jr.
Lieutenant Governor, State of Hawai'i